FISCAL NOTE

HB 1733 - SB 2020

February 26, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires the home page of the official State of Tennessee website to provide a link to a webpage listing all grants funded or administered by the state. Requires each grant listing to contain a brief description of the grant, a brief statement of the qualifications required for application, and the filing deadline. Requires each grant listing to have a link to the webpage of the department or agency funding or administering the grant with detailed information concerning the grant and appropriate contact information including telephone numbers and email addresses.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$84,000

Assumptions:

- One additional staff member in the Department of Finance and Administration to maintain and update the website and all necessary links.
- Enactment of this bill will result in additional administrative costs consisting of additional staff member salary and benefits, office setup, operating expenses, and database maintenance and upgrades, and supplies.
- Increase in state expenditures is estimated at \$84,000 per year.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director